



Philadelphia District Office

2006 Small Business Award Winners

Small Business Person of the Year

William A. Schmidt, Jr.
President, General Manager & Sales Manager
William A. Schmidt & Sons, Inc.
Chester, PA

Nominator

M. Therese Flaherty, Ph.D.
Director
Wharton Small Business
Development Center
Philadelphia, PA

Small Business Exporter of the Year

Gregory F. Krug
President
Lampire Biological Laboratories, Inc.
Perkasie, PA

Nominator

Patricia J. Kratz
Vice President
UNIVEST National Bank & Trust Co.
Souderton, PA

Financial Services Champion of the Year

Robert F. Fischer, CPA
President
Fischer Cunnane & Associates Ltd.
West Chester, PA

Nominator

Donna L. Urian, CPA
Shareholder/Vice President
Fischer Cunnane & Associates Ltd.
West Chester, PA

Veteran Small Business Champion of the Year

Susan Rossomando
Manager, Project Development
Greater Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce
Philadelphia, PA

Nominator

Joseph McDevitt
Director of Marketing
Small Business Administration
Philadelphia, PA

Women in Business Champion of the Year

Mary Anne van Arsdale
Director, Institute for Entrepreneurial Studies
Harrisburg Area Community College
Harrisburg, PA

Nominator

Gladys P. Canizares, SBA Coordinator
Kelly K. Neiderer, Senior Vice President
Commerce Bank/Harrisburg, N.A.
Camp Hill, PA

SBA Young Entrepreneur of the Year

Bill Blair, John Blair
Co-Owners
Blair Brothers Goldsmiths
Williamsport, PA

Nominator

Tim Keohane
Director
Lock Haven University Small Business
Development Center
Lock Haven, PA

Small Business Journalist of the Year

Bette Alburger
Journalist
Press Newspapers of Delaware County/
Delaware County Times
Swarthmore, PA

Nominator

Jack Holefelder
President
Delaware County Chamber of Commerce
Media, PA